

FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE.

SKETCHES
OF
LEGISLATORS

AND
STATE OFFICERS

1876-1878.

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AUSTIN, TEXAS:
DEMOCRATIC STATESMAN STEAM PRINT.
1876.

SEVENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

Counties.—Uvalde, Medina, Bandera, Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie, Mason and Menard, with the unorganized counties of Edwards and Kimble.

REPRESENTATIVE JAMES M. HUNTER was born in North Carolina in 1839; was educated at Greenville, Tennessee, and came to Texas in 1849; is a married man, resides at Mason, in Mason county, and devotes his time to agricultural pursuits and to hotel keeping.

Mr. Hunter was for a number of years in the Texas frontier service, and was appointed in 1863 major of the third frontier district by Governor Murrah. He is a Democrat by faith; was nominated on the Democratic ticket, and elected by a majority of 400 votes. He is a true citizen, and is an honored member of the House.